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SUBJECT: Periodic Intelligence Questionnaire.

- TO : All Military Attaches, Military Observers, Military Liaison Officers, and JICA's.
- l. As a further guide for the collection of information desired by the Military Intelligence Service, Periodic Intelligence Questionnaires are being issued. These questionnaires are made up of loose leaf sheets with breakdown by geographical area and type of information. The separate pages will be sent to a primary source, and where appropriate, also to other possible sources. Accordingly each office will be furnished only such pages of the questionnaire for which it is a primary source or a possible source.
- 2. The February Periodic Intelligence Questionnaire is the first of such questionnaires to be issued. It represents the current informational needs of especial interest to MIS and supplements Part II of the latest Tentative List of Military Information Desired by MIS (Inclosure to Circular Letter No. 45b dated 2 Nevember 1944). Appropriate pages of the February Periodic Intelligence Questionnaire are forwarded herewith for such pertinent information as can be procured by your office.
- 3. It will be noted that most of these questions are of a continuing nature inviting recurring reports and such questions will continue to be reported on until otherwise notified. Unless otherwise indicated, the following order of priority is established with respect to the various categories of questions:
 - a. Japanese
 - b. German
 - c. Russian
 - d. Local
- 4. It is contemplated that questionnaires of this nature will be furnished approximately once a month, keeping your office up to date, not only on desired items of information, but also on cutstanding items in which MIS is no longer currently interested.
- 5. In addition to the periodic questionnaire, your office will continue to receive, from time to time, requests for information of a specific nature under various Source Control numbers which can usually be answered by a single report.

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6. All pertinent information forwarded on any items included in the Periodic Intelligence questionnaire will contain a specific reference to the Periodic Intelligence Questionnaire giving area covered, type of information, and period, as shown on the questionnaire.

For the Chief, Military Intelligence Service:

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